PERES: \$2.00 IN ADVANCE.

SOUTHERN CHIVALRY. us to adopt their own superior com. of Georgia is alone significant of his mon-sense ways of doing and greatness. of course, the veriest nonsense,

ity as the people of New England. bored under the great disadvantage President of the Senate to fill the The Hon. Carl Schurtz, recently, of ill health and on this account in speaking of Southern homicides, deserves the more praise for his David Davis, attributes their distressing frequen- great achievments. Bodily, he was cy to this supposed spirit of "chiv- almost insignificant; his existence alry." In his opinion the Southern approached the purely psychical, a people pride themselves on being great mind and a powerful will "the gallant descendants of the cav- scarcely incarnate. Mr. Stephens' aliers" and go about killing people change from the Whig to the Demto sustain that character. He goes ocratic party has cost him the imseriously to work to dissuade us putation of fickleness, but it was from this erroneous way of think- rather an evidence of his steadfast ing, and tells us that the English of principle. He followed the Whig The river and harbor appropriato-day are more of the cavalier party under the leadership of the tion bill was tabled in the Senate stock than we Southerners, but do great Clay but afterward deserted Saturday and consequently lies over School Commissioner. Alderman not feel themselves called on to per- that political organization when till next session. sue murderous practices in conse. the loss of vital principle caused its | Eight members of the House re-

homicides in the South didn't his nature, when the war had actu- by her citizens. know the difference between Cava- ally begun he was quick to side mediate ancestors were Scotch, proof that his sincerity was never with great success. Irish, French, or, like Mr. Schurtz, questioned.

that occur in the South as com- lic apppearance was in a speech miles above New Orleans, on the present and would like to address was a mistake, and I am certain I Yet we admit that rash affrays, re- which he died.

affrays at the South come from no ular histories. sentimental cause. They are the result of the habit of going armed, and that habit grew out of a necessity. Southern people are undoubtedly spirited and quick to resent insult, but such an imputation can be no stigma on the Southern character. After the war for several turbulent times that followed the work under improved conditions.

known except as implements of a further reduction, and the opporbecome spiritless, but homicide question has had a very beneficial

Mr. Schurtz, no doubt, meant thing better. kindly in the advice he offered, and deserves to be thanked for his good thankful. Wrangling over negro scheme and expressed a desire for a intentions, but he was mislead by the traducers of Southern character, elections and general abuse of the between the United States and who harp about our "chivalry."

of the 1st to Mrs. Elizabeth B. Me. lines. Court, of skorh, Wisconsin. The marriage was attended by the President, members of the cabinet, sena-Senator by his divorced wife.

PALMER, the newly elected Senator from Michigan, has had no experience in public life but is loaded down with money, so to speak. That is the kind of man that is coming into fashion as material for the Senate. The money kings of America wish to buy themselves into distinguished positions just as wealthy Englishmen buy themselves into the peerage. If the practice becomes common the Senate Ex-PRESIDENT DIAZ and party will degenerate into a body of nin- were entertained in Austin, Texas, A BILL has passed its third readgoes on the market for sale.

Clarksville, Tenn., March 10, 1888. vy. Alexander Hamilton Stephens breathed his last in Atlanta at 3 o'clock Sunday morning. His career is one that stands in bold relief in contrast with the time serving politicians of the period. If not origi-Northern men and Northern pa- nal, his character was strongly pers are accustomed to ascribe to unique and in its daring independthe South a quixotism which they ence stands above all reproach. He sneeringly call "Southern chivalry." is one of the few men who stamped The Southern people are represented his imprint on the times in which in Atlanta. as lacking in the purely practical, he lived and his history is strongly and as cherishing a romantic be- interwoven with that of his native lars for the week ending March 3d, lief in their prowess as men and section. Georgia, with her long was \$143,495. their traditions as a people that is list of noted men, has never procalculated to render them extreme- duced his equal. He was loved and was burned in Murfreesboro Monly rediculous. Our Northern friends honored in that State as no other day morning. take on themselves the mission of man has ever been, and the strong Cervantes to laugh "Southern chiv- influence that he commanded over alry" to scorn, and to recommend the hearts and minds of the people

thinking. So persistently has this Mr. Stephens, like the majority coloring been given Southern char. of America's greatest men, was of acter that some people seem to have humble origin and self made. In guage. grown into the belief that it is a this particular he can be classed A fire at Salem, in Rutherford true portrait, and regard us as a with Clay, Jackson, Lincoln and county, Monday, destroyed the race of cranks, full of sentimental Andrew Johnson, but only in this stores of Powers Bros., and Charles pride and foolish fantacies. This is, regard is he like any of the men North. mentioned. His uncanny figure A legitimist meeting at Lille, The Southern people possess that and his weird and piping voice have France, on the 5th, made considerapracticability that is homogeneous their counterpart only in John ble demonstrations against the reto all Americans, and, in fact, are Randolph, of Roanoke. Through- public. not as much given to sentimental. out his whole life Mr. Stephens la-

Mr. Stephens is one of the few correction. But we do think that as long as he desired and was re-Northern papers are prone to give cently elected Governor of Georgia pared to those that are reported made at Savannah on the occasion from other sections of the Union. of the sesqui-centennial celebration Northern crime would undoubtedly of the settlement of Georgia. This outweigh that of the South if the visit to Savannah was at the cost of evil deeds that are done in the two his valuable life. He took a cold sections were placed in the ballances. that brought on the sickness from low Chattanooga, was opening the

sulting in death, are more frequent It is not only as a statesman that came loose and the red hot iron in the South, among the better Mr. Stephens is to be considered; poured on him, burning his body to classes. The hemous and disgust- his valuable contribution to the a coal. ing crimes, so common in the history of the country has given Mis: Mary Slaughter, a handsome North, are committed by a "crimi- him a reputation as an author. His and cultivated young lady, suicided nal class, from which, compara- work that treats of the war between by taking strychnine at the resitively speaking, the South is hap- the States is one of the most valua- dence of her father Mr. Dennis But the murders and shooting book, is among the best of our pop- week. No cause is assigned for the

The number of bills introduced on years, the very disorganized state the subject and the attempts to parof affairs at the South made it nec- ticularize so minutely, retarded essary for men to go armed. The progress and promised to defeat the on the death of Governor Stephens. bonded indebtedness was dis- freight on this trip, consisting of a discharged armies turned loose up- intention of Congress and the de- He was inaugurated Monday and charged would be all that the coun- hundred pounds of flour, two large on a country, almost without law- mands of the people that the tariff immediately issued a proclamation ty would ask. Of course the action hams, a fine blooded pig and other a class of reckless adventurers who should be reduced. But by the act-ordering an election on the 25th of of this Board couldn't be absolutely articles. And it was not in the line March 21 he delivered a speech ordering an election on the 25th of ordering an election or the 25th ordering an el held life in light esteem. The ive work of the Conference Comlarge mass of liberated negroes mittee, the Senate bill was passed thought that liberty meant license, at the eleventh hour and is now the and a state of society was created law of the land. The bill is not that brought the "hip-pocket" into such a reform of the tariff as the use and made a means of self de- people wanted and is not likely to fence absolutely necessary. This meet with approval, a temporary state of things no longer exists, but feeling of confidence has been reits legitimate aftermath are the stored to trade, and thus far the killings that now occur in the effects of the bill are beneficial. South. The whole cause is the Many important industries had habit of carrying pistols, and that been kept in a disturbed state by the habit came into vogue during the agitation that may now resume

But the present tariff bill is in no As a matter of logical sequence it sense a finality. It is confused and given and Polk has been released follows that the remedy for this unsatisfactory and as there will still great evil is to enforce the disarm- be a large surplus in the revenue, ing act. Pistols ought not to be the next Congress is certain to make port in this matter say that moneys war. We don't want to lose our tunity is left it for a greater reform. "chivalry" if that means we are to The free discussion of the tariff 866.91, must be checked, and the practical effect in destroying the sectional of Mexico, was dined by James B. way to do that is to taboo the pis- issues that have been given pro- Eads, and breakfasted by the Times

Southern people have nauseated Mexico. the country and the people hail | Eli Perkins may step down and be free, &c." Senator Tabor, of Colorado, was with delight a political issue that out and Tom Ockeltree has lost his married in Washington on the night has nothing to do with sectional laurels. The prize for being the

With the close of the Forty-sevtors, members of Congress, etc. One enth Congress, our talented towns- on a plantation in Hatchie river of the Senator's presents to his man, Hon. John F. House, closed bottom. He carried a young gui- the incumbrance was on the bridge. bride was a diamond necklace, val- a career that has won him golden nea into Covington last Monday ned at \$75,000. A sensational report opinions from all sorts of people, which he swears was born-not ment. etition of one that took place in that in Congress has been that of a lead- whereof he speaks. city some time ago and was not ing member, and his acknowledged The operation of the "no fence tion read "ought to be free, &c." for allimony pending against the highest respect and influence. The walled town of Atlanta. These Tyler thought shall would be the people of Clarksville and of the battlements that surround the Geor- best word. tion he has won. The State of Ten- scribed Jericho. In fact, the Atlanta be a mere suggestion. nessee acklowledges him as one of wall is a simple stake and rider

compoops. A position of honor on the 7th. Diaz traveled in a pri- ing in the lower house of the Gener-

fame he has already achieved.

A great man, whose public life Parnell is coming to America.

had its bearing on the destiny United States Treasurer Gilfill United States Treasurer Gilfillan

> Gov. Cleveland, of New York, vetoed the five cent fare bill. The 47th Congress expired on the 4th by constitutional limitation.

July 1st. Twenty thousand people viewed the remains of Governor Stephens

The issue of standard silver dol-

The residence of Mr. Isaac White expense.

Carver in Chicago Saturday by a Arabi Bey, now in exile in Cey-

Senator Edmunds was elected vacancy made by the resignation of

Pneumonia has been very prevalent in New York recently. Ninety

phis on the 4th.

fused to return thanks to Speaker and was answered in the affirma-

Schurtz's part of the important sub- Union speech that time has proved The United States Supreme Court votes were cast for Mr. Kleeman ject on which he proposes to advise. to be prophesy. But though he decided Monday that Louisiana and one for Mr. Young. Mr. Klee-It is probable that a large majority contended for the maintainance of could not be sued by New York on man didn't vote. of those who have been parties to the Union with all the strength of claims transferred the latter State

lier and Roundhead, and far from with his country and his people and George Baker's new play, "Fran- bridge, was next considered. It was being the descendants of the former, his elevation to the position of Vice cesca di Rimmini" at the National a question of liability on the part of it more often the case that their im- President of the Confederacy is a Theatre in Washington recently the city, and attorneys had advised

homicides are of too frequent oc-currence in the South, it is distress-office since the war. He held his of labor and damaging the machin-of labor and damaging the machin-lature of Georgia in 1836 and was The steamer Yazoo struck on a

twenty lives were lost. While Ike Gremo, keeper of the

Cedartown furnace, fifty miles beeinder notch last Monday, it be-

ble on that subject and his latest Slaughter, in Tipton county, last

a house on Fifth Avenue, New York. Will she import Mr. Langtry? or is this an advertising dodge

Judge Allen, of the Nashville Criminal Court fixed M. T. Polk's from custody. The Legislative committee in making their final rediscovered since the last report reduce the actual deficiency to \$375,-

Gen. Perferio Diaz, ex-president longed life for the want of some- Democrat, in New Orleans on the 4th. He made a speech at the din-For this much the country can be ing, favoring Eads' ship railway outrages, disputes about Southern continuance of the friendly relations

champion liar in the United States now goes to a Tipton county darkey. The newly discovered genius is named Wm. Bernard, and lives

her ablest sons, and as he is yet in the prime of vigorous manhood the local option plan, and the varithere is a broad future before him ous communities that surround At- word as shall, in which he can be useful to his lanta having adopted it, have fenced country and add to the generous off the wild eyed cow, the razorbacked pig and the mischievous William goat that infest the city.

loses its honorable quality when it vate car placed at his use by Jay al Assembly which makes train wrecking a capital crime.

CITY COUNCILORS.

The March meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Clarksville assembled in the city hall Wednesday night, Mayor Howell presiding. There was a full attendance of Aldermen, with The repeal of the two cent stamps Recorder Read and City Marshal

on bank check goes into effect on Williams present. After the reading of the minutes the reports of committees were heard, and then followed the presentation of claims. Several large accounts for vaccine virus and physicians' bills for vaccinating were presented. The Mayor said the county would bear a portion of this

The Board then proceeded to fix the Assessor's salary for the follow-Bogardus was again defeated by ing year. Mayor Howel said the assessment last year cost \$147, but he thought the Board could have it done for \$100. Something was said on, is learning English and having about the per cent. paid the Asseshis children educated in that lan- sor on polls, and some one inquired how much poll tax was collected last year. Marshal Williams replied \$150 out of \$525 assessed. A motion was then made by Alderman Young and seconded by Al-

> sor's salary be fixed at \$100. Car-Before proceeding to the election of an Assessor some one inquired if the City Marshal was eligible. The Mayor said, "No, he is a salaried officer; the charter torbids it." Announcements were then in order.

ASSESSOR ELECTED. Mr. George Leigh, Dr. W. A. nine persons died there from that Shelby and Mr. Jesse Rawls were announced as candidates for the po-Henry Ellis, a youth sixteen years sition; the former two announced old, was accidentally shot and kill- themselves. Mr. Leigh was elected ed while duck hunting near Mem- on the first ballot, receiving five votes. Dr. Shelby had two votes

and Mr. Rawls one.

The next election was that of a Fred. Williams inquired if a member of the Board could fill the place, Now this is all very silly and Mr. Stephens was strongly op- Kiefer. This is the first instance of shows a decided ignorance on Mr. posed to secession and made a noted negative votes on such a question. When the ballot was taken six

A charge against the city by the County Bridge Inspector, for the in-Lawrence Barrett presented Hon. spection of the lower Red river differently in that regard. The The Hanover Oil Works, located | Mayor thought the matter ought to on the river front at Memphis, set- be compromised Some discussion several days' absence, I found part We are not disposed to deny that very prominent ex-Confederates the depth of two feet Mon- followed, and finally Mr. Wilson of our yillage in ashes, two of the last and rapidly obtained a large

> A FREE BRIDGE. snag at Gypsy Point, twenty-five Judge of the County court, was the parsonage was burned. This senate. In 1843 he was elected, as miles above New Orleans, on the present and would like to address was a mistake, and I am certain 1 seat until 1859. In February, 1847, the inst., and went down in 100 the Board in regard to the differwas never before so glad to see the he submitted a series of resolutions feet of water. About fifteen or ances between the city and county dear old home looming up between in relation to the Mexican war. County court wanted an expression burning was a fiendish piece of from the Board that the bridge business and is as yet wrapped in should be free when the present in- mystery. There had been no fire cumberance upon it was raised. in either of the buildings for more and county ought to agree.

> > would be in favor of that adjust- was a still night. hear Judge Tyler. Carried.

make a lengthy address; he and ident, has the best school this sesmany others had discussed the mat- sion that has been in the building ter. He thought the city and since the war, and he deserves the Mr. Van Voohis, of New York, county ought to make an amicable success he has achieved. I now dissolution of the Union in case of made a narrow escape from expul- arrangement of the matter, and it have the pleasure of meeting George Mr. Lincoln's election; and in Nosion from the House on the 1st inst. was his earnest desire that they McCurdy in town who is selling vember, 1860, he made a speech be-The opinion had gained preva- He descended to blackguardism in should come to an understanding. drugs here, and whom I have lence before the adjournment of speaking of Mr. McLean, of Califor- The county had levied an assess- known about as long as I have he had an interesting correspon-Congress that no tariff legislation nia, and was saved his seat in the ment on the bridge not satisfactory Montgomery county. George has dence with Mr. Lincoln in Decemwould be passed at the last session. House by a parliamentary apology. to the city and it was about to cre- some interesting correspondents Hon, J. S. Boynton, who was ate a lawsuit. He thought a prom- from your section, and enjoys the president of the Georgia senate be- ise from the Board that the bridge privilege. came ex officio Governor of the State, should be free when the present Daisy pulled home a full bill of April, to fill the vacancy in the gub- binding on a future Board, but he of official stipends, but a free gratis in Savannah, in which he declared A dispatch from New York says undo anything this Board did in to load my buggy said humorously a special commissioner, he address-

that Mrs. Langtry is so enamored that regard. There was an under- that the case reminded him of the ed the convention at Richmond, of America and Americans that she standing among the people of the old colored man who used to get urging the union of Virginia with has decided to become a resident of county that the bridge should be home toward the shank of the night this country and is negotiating for free when the indebtedness was discharged, but the idea had got out to his knock, "Old man, what ye the subject of martial law; and on that the city wanted to make a per- got? If ye ain't got nothin' ye can't manent use of the bridge as an in- come in!" This naturally made vestment. If the resolution he had him industrious in providing for his proposed, passed he would instruct | family. the Trustee not to collect the tax as- Those five little girl correspond-

by the County court. towards keeping up the bridge after is opened.

Judge Tyler-The county will keep up the bridge. Mr. Young thought as the city was so surrounded by water and consequently unapproachable without crossing a stream that a free

bridge was very desirable. resolution, "That it is the sense of this board that as soon as the indebtedness of the lower Red river in the register is quaint: "Mary bridge is discharged the same shall Blewitt, ye wife of nine husbands

amend by inserting the word in- the margin is written:

City Attorney West thought this change ought to be made as the indebtedness was that of the city and Mr. Wilson accepted the amend-

for shall so as to make the resolu-

sixth congressional district, by gia metropolis are not such as pro- Judge Tyler said the word shall seven, and the number of spindles respected, are proud of the distinct rope, nor like those that circumto an ordinance, otherwise it would

answer that.

spoke in favor of the resolution, and diligently making every effort to being put to the board, it passed as unravel the mystery connected first amended, the word shall being with his continued absence. In our nies doing business in Illinois on family the subject is often the theme 8,542 miles of track. Employment

be considered at an end.

Mr. Kleeman was appointed a Washington gives in a summary uncalled for in the Clarksville Tenu. committee of one to confer with manner some of the important post-office up to Saturday, M'ch. 10, John Conroy about, reduced toll workings of the new law to reduce 1883. If not taken out within thirty rates on rock hauled from his quar- the internal revenue. ry near town.

Mr. S. O. W. Brandon was given a release of \$200 on the assessment on his property. Mr. Sam Stewart was granted reduction on his assessment.

Mr. Polk G. Johnson was granted The bond of Mr. W. P. Hume, the passage of the act relieves national, State banks on an aver-City Treasurer, for \$20,000 was pre- age of about one million dollars a

sented and accepted. er for \$500 was presented and ac-

It was ordered that when a police a half millions. The act repealing officer should be sick or disabled so as to be off duty, that fact should in July next. The law imposing a be reported to the recorder and by him to the Board. This was done

An ordinance introduced by Mr. Hyman requiring hydrants to be plete statements ever given in referreted at various places in the city erence to capital and deposits, and derman Kleeman that the Asses- passed its first reading.

Mr. Campbell thought from the way the wind whistled Wiggins' of this law after this date will prestorm was coming and moved an vent the compilation of these tables. adjournment. The motion was carried and the Board adjourned.

The State Debt. house Wednesday. While the bill can members, but all of them were

is the vote cast: is the vote cast:

Ayes-Mess:s. Anderson of McNairy, Ballentin, Bagwell, Berry, Blackburn, Bullock, Buntin, Burrus, Caldwell, Daniel, Darden, Darnall, Dow, Duncan, Erwin, Fielder, Fowlkes, Fulkerson, Glass, Gregg, Hale, Haynes, Head, Hicks, Houston, Ivie, Jones, Kelley, Kirby, Larkin, Legg, Looney, Mallory, Manson, McCann, McDowel, McHaney, Miller, Milliken, Morris, Northcut, Overall, Pardne, Patterson, Pillow, Porter, Roscoe, Sanders, Sharp, of Melgs, Sharpe of Davidson, Smith, Smitheal, Sowell, Stephens, Swope, Taylor Thomas, Thomason of Weekley, Tillman, Vaughn, Wallace, Welch, Wendel, White, Whortey, and Mr. Speaker Ledgerwood—66. Wendel, White, Whortey, and Mr. Speaker Ledgerwood—66.
Nays—Anderson of Henderson, Atkins, Bachman, Bibb, Boiton, Boyd, Burnett, Butler, Case, Chapman, Ellis, Fisk Gal-breath, Hawkins, Hembree, Howard, Jack-son, Jarvis, Martin, McElwee, Nixon, North-rup, Pemberton, Rivers, Rogers Samell, Wade—27.

CHRONICLE LETTER BOX.

Absent or not voting—Bearden, Parks, Parkerson, Ramsey, Thomason of Henry,

On reaching home to-night, after the fire reached me eight miles from buildings were saved with great

On my way out from home last Mr. Fred. Williams moved to week I spent a night in Murfrees-

didn't believe a future Board would gift. Brother Stockird, who helped

sessed on the bridge, and believed ents on the Southside, and other a marked sensation through the that such action would be ratified folks of larger growth will please appropriate this letter and consider | Campbell, he held an informal con-Mr. Fred Williams wanted to that we are even and all out of ference on a steamer in Hampton roads with President Lincoln and know what the county would do epistolatory debt till a new account

Overalls, Tenn., March 5, 1883.

Experienced Matrimonialists. The ancient church of Birdbrook, England, which has just been reing this extraordinary record: Martha Blewitt of Swan Inn, at Mr. Wilson then offered a written Baythorne-end, in this parish, buried May 7, 1681. She was the wife of nine husbands consecutively, but the ninth outlived her." The entry successively, buried eight of ym, but last of all ye woman dy'd allsoe, Mr. Fred Williams moved to and was buried May 7, 1681." In "This was cumbrance in the place of indebted- her funeral sermon text." The same tablet records that Robert Hogan was the husband of seven wives

COTTON mills are springing up in Alabama, Georgia and South Carolina, and North Carolina has learned that her mountain countries grow the finest tobacco that this country to the Cincinnati Enquirer from St.

Louis says this marriage was a rep
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the nest topacco that this country can produce, and the great topacco that the great topacco that this country can produce, and the great topacco that the great topacco the great next year, is expected to develop that he has been st that interest to as marked extent as a neighbor's woodpile. So the other did the Cotton Exposition the inter- evening it was concluded to "fx" made public on account of a suit ability has commanded for him the law" in Georgia is about to make a Mr. Tom. Hyman said Judge ests of Atlanta and vicinity. In him. A long hollow stick of wood was filled with powder and placed ton mills has increased in the past where Tune could easily get it. As Gold Dust Tobacco Fertilizer, two years from eighteen to twentywhom he is universally loved and tected the cities of mediæval Eu- would make the resolution amount 96,000 to 180,000, and still the num- to the woodpile and picking up this ber steadily increases.-Memphis stick, carried it and placed it upon

> the prime of vigorous manhood the local option plan, and the varimantown home, his father, Christ- the scene. Tune acknowledged they Judge Tyler said he didn't care to answer that.
>
> Mr. Wilson and Mr. Hyman both
> Mr. Ross said: "I am still

The following dispatch from

The act to reduce internal revenue taxation, which has just become the law, provides for the re-peal of the tax upon capital and deposite of all banks and bankers, except such taxes as are now due and payable. The tax on capital and deposits therefore closed on March 3. Comptroller Knox says month. The amount of tax collec-The bond of R. D. Read, Record-er for \$500 was presented and accepted.

The street committee were authorized to contract for 500 bushels of cal years was \$11,208,875. The amount annuly collected from two cent check stamps is about two and the use of these stamps takes effect tax upon bank capital and deposits requires all State banks and private for years compiled the only com the amount of United States bonds

held by all classes of banks and bankers in the country. The repeal tained will be from the reports of banks, as compiled by the officers of the different States. As many of The caucus bill to settle the State the States, particularly in the South Bighead, Windgalls, Fistula, Poll Evil. debt, passed its third reading in the and West, do not require such returns made, the aggregate will nec- Callous, Sitfast, Colle, Ring Worm, essarily be much less complete than external injuries, use Hanmer's was pending various amendments heretofore. Commissioner Raum were proposed, mostly by Republi- says that after May, 1883, the tax on manufactured tobacco and snuff will be eight cents per pound, cigars voted down, and the bill passed as three dollars per thousand, cigaretts framed by the caucus. The follow- fifty conts per thousand. A rebate on tobacco, snuff, cigars and cigarettes of the difference in the taxes recently imposed and the taxes now provided for will be allowed when the claims amount to \$10. The claims must be presented within forty days from May 1. Regulalarge reduction of special taxes upon dealers commencing in May next. The commission says ar rangements will be immediately made for changing the form for the payment of taxes on tobacco, snuff, cigars and cigarettes, so as to provide collectors with stamps in time to meet the requirements of trade.

Life of Alexander H. Stephens. Alexander Hamilton Stephens was born in Taliaferro county, Ga., February 11, 4812. He graduated at Franklin College, Athens, Ga., in re-elected for five consecutive terms. The Mayor said that Judge Tyler, home, and my informant told me In 1842 he was elected to the State about the free bridge matter. The me and the twilight skies. The which afterwards formed the platform of the Whig party. He opposed the Clayton compromise in 1843 and took a leading part in the compromise of 1850. The passage of the Kansas and Nebraska act of 1854 in He, the Mayor, thought the city than twenty-four hours. Other the house of representatives was strongly supported by him as chair- MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE man of the committee on territories Mr. Kleeman thought everybody effort, and owing to the fact that it After the breaking up of the Whig party, he acted with the democrats. At the close of the thirty-fifth congregress, Mr. Stephens declined to be again a candidate, and on July boro, and as usual at Soule College. 2, 1859, he made a speech at Augus-Judge Tyler didn't expect to Prof. John R. Thompson, the pres- ta, Ga., announcing his retirement from public life.

During the presidential canvass of 1860 he sustained Douglass, and denounced those who advocated a fore the legislature of Georgia against secession, on which subject ber. He was, nevertheless, elected to the secession convention which met at Milledgeville, Jan. 16, 1861. and there spoke and voted against the secession ordinance. He was a member of the southern congress which met at Montgomery, Ala., in Febuary, and was elected vicepresident of the confederacy. On slavery to be the corner-stone of the new government. On April 23, as the appointment by Gen. Bragg of James M. Calhoun, as civil govenor of Atlanta, a palpable usurpa-

His letter on this subject created south. On February 3, 1865, with R. M. T. Hunter and John A. Mr. Seward, which had no practical result. After Lee's surrender Stephens returned to his home at Crawfordville, where on May 11, 1865, he was arrested and sent to Fort Warren in Boston harbor, but on October 11 he was released on parole. Febuary 22, 1866, he delivopened after important restorations, contains a monumental slab bear of Georgia favoring the restoration policy of President Johnson. In the same month he was elected to the United States senate, but as the state had not complied with the conpermitted to take his seat.

ditions of reconstruction he was not In 1872 he was elected to congress, and again in 1874, almost without opposition. He was elected to the Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth congresses, and was re-elected to the Forty-sixth congress as a democrat, receiving 3,355 votes, against fiftyeight scattering votes. His recent election to the governorship of Georgia is still fresh in the minds of the public.

Nigger in the Woodpile. Brownsville States and Bee 25,

Tune Thomas, living down near soon as the shades of evening brought darkness on, Tune slipped his fire. About nine o'clock, as he sat before the blazing hearth, an explosion came knocking Tune across the room and demolishing the chimgot away with him, and says he is "done foolin' 'round other folk's' woodpile."

THERE are 57 railroad companies doing business in Illinois on Judge Tyler thanked the board for this action and said the dispute be until we know the contrary."

Judge Tyler thanked the board spoken of as living, and shall gate of \$25,106,329 is paid them in salaries annuly.

Advertised Letters. The following list of letters remain.

Anderson, Dr Wm
Beverly, Clarence
Byars, Daniel
Chester, Annie
Unie, John
Daniel, Clemurie
Elsom, Eliza
Fouse, Bob
Gill, Henrietta
Hanner, Millie
Hunly, Josephine
Jackson, Sue
Lockert, Morilia
Majors, Peter

When calling for any of the above please say "advertised." SAM'L REXINGER, P. M.

"How in the world," asked Galveston lady of a neighdor, "can I prevent my boy from stealing sugar out of the sugar-bowl." bankers in the country to make know how you can stop his stealing to prevent paying two policemen semi-annual returns to the commissioners of internal revenue, From the reply. "How?" "By simply these returns the comptroller has putting the sugar in the milk-pitch-

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